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COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES - SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT - SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT

DATE AUGUST 22, 1992 **FILE NO.** 092-16483-0531-057

C- ASSAULT WITH A DEADLY WEAPON ON A PEACE OFFICER 245 (C) P.C. **Action Taken** ACTIVE/INVESTIGATION MADE/WITNESS INTERVIEWED/ EVIDENCE HELD

V- SEE BELOW

D- 08-22-92 (SATURDAY) AT 0432 HOURS

L- [redacted] GLENDON WAY, ROSEMEAD

S- SEE BELOW

VICTIMS:

V#1 - DEPUTY JEFFRY HARDT MW/[redacted], EMPLOYEE #[redacted]
ASSIGNED TO TEMPLE CITY SHERIFF'S STATION
(UNINJURED)

V#2 - [redacted] MW/19
(UNINJURED)

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SUSPECTS:

S#1 - SAMPSON, JOSEPH RAYMOND MW/25 DOB: 04-06-67
MAIN# [redacted], CII# [redacted], FBI# [redacted],
L.A.# [redacted]

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EVIDENCE HELD:

Item #7 - One plastic container containing one .9mm bullet removed from suspect by Doctor Mosto, Arcadia Methodist Hospital NFD.

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On 08-22-92 at approximately 0445 hours, Investigators were detailed from their respective residences to responded to [redacted] Glendon Way, city of Rosemead, Apartment #[redacted], to investigate the

facts and circumstances surrounding a deputy involved shooting.

Upon arrival at the location Investigators were met by the handling deputy, Deputy Dinh, #[redacted], Unit 53EM's. After receiving brief statements regarding the by Deputy Diñh, incident Investigators handed over the crime scene to Sergeant Mike Robinson for a complete crime scene investigation. For further information refer to Sergeant Robinson's, supplemental report, which will be made a permanent part of this file.

Lieutenant Dennis Burns of O.P.E.S. arrived at the location at 0600 hours. Rose Reid, District Attorney's Office, Special Investigation Division, along with [redacted], arrived at 0625 hours. Tom Martin and Steven Johnson of the Sheriff's Department Internal Affair Bureau arrived at 0640 hours.

Investigators were advised by Deputy Dihn that Suspect Joseph Sampson had been transported to the Arcadia Methodist Hospital where he was in stable condition pending surgery. Investigators responded to the location and were told by emergency room personnel that the suspect was unavailable for interviews at this time.

Investigators then responded to Temple City Sheriff's Station to begin the interviews of the deputy involved and all other pertinent witnesses. Witness [redacted], the [redacted] of Suspect Sampson was interviewed at 0740 hours. Victim/Witness [redacted] was interviewed at 0820 hours and Victim Jeffry Hardt was interviewed at 0910 hours. For the complete text of these interviews see tape transcripts which will be made a part of this file.

The [redacted] of Suspect Sampson was interviewed at Arcadia Methodist Hospital at 1150 hours. There will be a taped transcript of her interview attached at a later date to this report. Investigators attempted to interview Suspect Sampson at approximately 1230 hours, and he indicated through head motions and some words that he wanted to invoked his rights and would not speak to Investigators.

At the conclusion of the interview with Deputy Hardt, Investigators examined his county issued service pistol, Serial #BER[redacted]Z. Investigators found the weapon to contain 11 live rounds in the magazine and one live round in the chamber. Investigators then responded back to Arcadia Methodist Hospital and recovered one distorted nine millimeter round from the emergency room personnel. The bullet had been removed by operating doctors from the abdomen of Suspect Samspon.

The facts of this case will be presented to the Rio Hondo District Attorney's Office for their consideration and any filing of any appropriate complaints.

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EVIDENCE HELD

Item #1 - One expended brass shell casing, head stamped "WIN", 9mm Luger, found on the walkway, south and west of Apartment #[redacted].

Item #2 - Two pieces of broken fence found on the grass in front of Apartment #[redacted].

Item #3 - A length of 2 inch diameter wooden post, 39 inches long, found on the sidewalk in front of the patio of Apartment #[redacted].

Item #4 - A gray metal strap measuring 16 inches long by 3/4 inch wide and 1/8 inch thick, found in the planter area in front of the patio fence of Apartment #[redacted].

Item #5 - Clothing belonging to the suspect consisting of a bloody T-shirt, white in color, and a light blue pair of jeans, both of which had been cut away from the suspect's body by paramedics. A green baseball cap which had a blue bill and the letter "S" on the front of it.

Item #6 - A black "Raiders" baseball cap found on the concrete walkway just west of the door entering into the apartment carport area.

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On 08-22-92 at 0615 hours, Sergeant Robinson from Sheriff's Homicide Bureau responded to the location to assist Investigators Brown and Seeger concerning the deputy involved shooting of Suspect Sampson.

Sergeant Robinson was detailed to investigate the crime scene and retrieve the above held evidence and supervise documentation of the crime scene by Sheriff's Lab Technicians Susan Yount and Tim Golt. Photographs of the crime scene were taken by Susan Yount and a to scale drawing of the crime scene and video taping of the crime scene was done by Tim Golt.

Upon arrival at the location, Sergeant Robinson contacted handling Deputy M. Dinh # assigned to Temple City Sheriff's Station, Unit 53 early mornings. Deputy Dinh explained that several calls had been made to Temple City Sheriff's Station by the resident of Apartment #, , FW/26. Ms. reported her , Suspect Sampson, was on his way over to her apartment and had threatened to beat her and her male companion, Victim .

Victim Deputy Hardt was the first unit to arrive on the scene. Upon exiting his vehicle and approaching Apartment #, from the south of the location, he observed the suspect holding Evidence Held Item #3, wooden post. The suspect was assaulting Victim . Victim Deputy Hardt drew his weapon and ordered the suspect to drop the wooden post. The suspect turned away from Victim , raising the wooden post over his head in a threatening manner and charged at Victim Deputy Hardt.

Victim Deputy Hardt fired his weapon two or three times striking the suspect in the upper torso. Paramedics were summoned to the scene and transported the suspect to Arcadia Methodist Hospital for emergency treatment.

Victim and Ms. were transported to Temple City Sheriff's Station pending interviews by Homicide Investigators. Temple City deputies cordoned off the crime scene and initiated a crime scene log.

The crime scene is a two story apartment building located on the of Hart Avenue and Glendon Way. Hart Avenue runs north and south and Glendon Way runs east and west. Victim Deputy Hardt's patrol vehicle, license #E261644, was parked diagonally at the northern curb of Glendon Way at the intersection of Hart Avenue. The crime scene involves the west side of the apartment complex, which has Apartments #1, #3, #5, #7 and #9 on the bottom story and Apartments #2, #4, #6, #8, #10 and #11 on the second story. The original altercation between the suspect and Victim originated in front of unit #, the residence of .

Sergeant Robinson approached the crime scene from the south through a 6 foot wrought iron gate, which encloses a common court yard to the above listed apartments. This court yard is enclosed on the west side with a 6 foot wooden fence made of boards, 6 feet high by 3 inches wide by 1 inch thick. The southern end of the court yard is closed off with a 6 foot wrought iron gate which had no locking device on it. There is a concrete walkway that runs northbound from this gate jogging in and out giving access to three stairwells going to the second story of the building. This walkway continues northbound to the stucco wall of the apartment carport.

Proceeding northbound on the walkway, passing Apartments #1, #3 and #5, on the lower level, Sergeant Robinson observed a large tree in the middle of the walkway in front of a common porch for Apartment #1 and #3. Continuing northbound on the walkway to the area of Apartment #5 and #7, Evidence Held Item #1, brass shell casing, was observed laying on the concrete. Again, the walkway jogs to the east, forming the common porch for Apartments #5 and #7 and the entrance way to the stairwell going up to Apartments #6 and #8. This shell casing was measured 19 inches north of the concrete seam divider and 4 inches east of the concrete's east edge. It should be noted that the casing is approximately 70 feet north of the wrought iron gate.

From this point, Apartment #█ is to the east of the walkway and north of the upstairs stairwell. All of the apartments on the lower level face to the west. Sergeant Robinson observed the front door of Apartment #█ to be standing open. Continuing a few feet northbound on the walkway, looking to the left (west) Sergeant Robinson observed the top portion of a wooden fence to be freshly broken off. Sergeant Robinson observed the wooden pieces from the fence lying on the grass just east of the walkway.

Six feet north Sergeant Robinson observed Evidence Held Item #3, wooden post, measuring 39 inches in length and 2 inches in diameter, laying on the walkway's east edge next to a grass and ivy planted area. Just north of the northern end of the post and 11 inches east Evidence Held Item #4, gray metal strap, was observed laying in the ivy. This item measured 16 inches long by 3/4 inch wide and 1/8 inch thick. This ivy planted area is measured to be 2 feet wide and west of the 6 foot wooden fence, which encloses the patios of Apartments #7 and #9. It should be noted that this ivy area is extremely dense with both ivy and crab grass.

Lab technicians and Sergeant Robinson searched this area and the surrounding area for additional shell casings with negative results. Directly across the walkway and slightly north of the metal strap and wooden post was Evidence Held Item #5, suspect's clothing, lying on the grass. These clothes consisted of a blood

stained T-shirt and a pair of blue jeans, both of which had apparently been cut off of the suspect by paramedics. There was also a green baseball cap which had a blue bill and the letter "S" on the front of the cap. Blood stains were observed on the grass near the clothes and paramedic debris. There were also some blood stains on the walkway east of the clothes.

Continuing northbound on the walkway I observed Evidence Held Item #6, "Raiders" baseball cap, lying on the concrete's northern edge, against the south wall of the carport. Measurements of the crime scene were taken by Lab Technician Tim Golt for future reference in order to make a to scale drawing.

Deputy Dinh and assisting patrol personnel contacted all available residents on both the bottom and top floors on the west side of the apartment building for possible witness information. For a complete account of the actions and observations of Deputy Dinh and assisting patrol personnel, refer to their first and all supplemental reports which will become a permanent part of this file.

At 0805 hours, Sergeant Robinson interviewed , MB/22, DOB: , . Mr. is a one week resident of Apartment #. Mr. had been sleeping on the living room floor in front of a sliding glass window which was open. This window faces westbound onto a patio directly above Apartment #. He stated he was awakened in the early morning hours by an argument between the suspect and Victim . For a complete account of his observations refer to the tape recorded transcript of Mr. statements.

For additional witness interviews and victim's statements, refer to supplementary reports by Investigators Brown and Seeger.

Investigation continuing with further reports to follow.

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